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Applicant : Henning OSTERWALD  
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Customer No. : 23911  
Title : Internal Combustion Engine with an Exhaust Gas Turbocharger and an Exhaust Gas Recirculation Device and Method of Operating Same

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2004.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 9 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.